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Forest School

Dear Parents/Carers,

An exciting opportunity has come up for Year 6 to work alongside Jason (Our Forest School Leader) to participate in Forest School activities for a couple of weeks.

Forest School is the name for an approach to educating children in the outdoors environment on a regular basis. All work will support the main curriculum (particularly Literacy, Science, Math's and the Arts) and will have a strong emphasis on raising all children's self-esteem and independence.

An integral part of the Forest school experience is that children will experience the outdoors in all weathers. With the exception of thunder storms and very high winds, please assume that your child will be outside when they take part in Forest Schools even if it is for a shortened session. To help achieve this, we will require all children taking part to have a waterproof coat, waterproof trousers, wellington or walking boots, on colder days warm clothing and on sunny days a sun hat and sun cream. Please bear in mind that your child is likely to get muddy so please wear old clothes you do not mind getting dirty!

Children will be participating in the following forest school outdoor sessions with Jason:

- Shelter Building
- Bushcraft
- Team building games

Forest School Outdoor Sessions will begin on Thursday 15th June 2017 (1pm-3.15pm) and **all day** on Thursday 29th June 2017.

Please could I ask that you complete the attached consent form so that your child can take part in Forest School activities.

Kind regards,

Mrs Cole

Y6 Teacher

Y6 Forest School Sessions

I do/ do not give permission for my child to participate in forest school sessions.

Signed: _____

Date: _____